Child Hazard

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LATER
OH! JUST A MINUTE SANRA
I'VE BEEN WONDERING... DON'T YOU HAVE ANY FRIENDS TO WALK TO SCHOOL WITH?
HUH? OH, uh, NO
BUT IT'S NO BIG DEAL. IT AIN'T LIKE I WANNA WALK TO SCHOOL WITH ANYBODY

...REALLY WELL YOU KNOW WHAT THEY SAY... "WALKING WITH FRIENDS MAKES FOR A FRIENDLY WALK"
IF YOU SAY SO MA
OH MY... JUST "LOOK" AT YOUR DOLLAR! NOW...YOU BE CAREFUL CRUISING THE STREETS YOUNG MAN, OKAY?
!
I AIN'T A LITTLE KID NO MORE, MA!
TA TA TA
OH SAHRA !

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OHAYO
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RIGHT BACK ATCHA!
REALLY DUDE! THEY IMPROVED THE ORIENTATION CAPSULE!
OHI OHAYO SAKURAI KUN
OHAYO
IZZAT GUY STUCK UP OR WHAT?
"BE NICE TO THE NEW KID!" HMPHH! NEEK WITH THAT! HE WANTS TO BE ALL "COOL" AS A LONER, FINE, LET'M!

OKAY... SAKURAI KUN! YOU'VE BEEN IN THIS CLASS FOR A FEW WEEKS NOW AND I THINK OVERALL WE'VE BEEN PRETTY FRIENDLY TOWARDS YOU
...YET YOU STILL GIVE EVERYONE HERE THE COLD SHOULDER TREATMENT AND WON'T TALK TO ANYONE... I WAS WONDERING WHY?
NONE-A YOUR BEE'S WAX
"NONE A MY—?!" HEY! YOU DON'T GOTTA BE RUDE! I'M JUST TRYIN' TO HELP YOU MAKE SOME FRIENDS AROUND HERE THAT'S ALL!
OH BIG WUP LIKE I REALLY CARE WHO SAYS I EVEN WANT ANY STUPID OL FRIENDS?
KEEE

LOOK PAL! WE'RE JUST A LITTLE CONCERNED FOR YOU. THAT'S ALL! SO MAYBE YOU SHOULD TRY'N BE A LI'L MORE NICE, Y'KNOW?!
AND MAYBE YOU SHOULD TRY TO BE A LITTLE MORE LADY-LIKE
KICK
WHY YOU YOU!! C'MERE'N SAY THAT TO MY FACE!!
OKAY MISS OH! SETTLE DOWN NOW
AAA!
I KNOW WHY THAT GUY'S BEIN' SUCH AN UNFRIENDLY BUTZ

IT'S CUZ HIS DAD (CHECK THIS OUT!) --KILLED SOMEBODY!
LET'S NOT SAY THINGS THAT WE KNOW AREN'T TRUE MR. KUROKAWA
WELL, THAT'S WHAT MY PA TOLD ME!
SNICKERS
?
AW C'MON! YOUR DAD WAS PROLLY JUST PULLING YOUR LEG!
YEAH WELL, IF HE WAS THEM WHY DON'T THIS GUY ACT ALL NORMAL AN STUFF?

HEY...YEAH! HE DOES ACT LIKE THE SON OF A KILLER! AND CHECK OUT THOSE "SHIFTY" EYES A HIS!
YOU GUYS! CUT IT OUT! YOU'RE TAKING THIS TOO FAR!
HEY! YOU TRYIN' T'COVER UP THE MURDER, MAI?
HA-HA! "MAI OMI, ACCOMPLICE TO MURDER"!
MP
HUH?

KRASH
WHAT TH'HELL WUZZAT FOR?!
C'MON TALK SOME MORE CRAP ABOUT MY DAD I DARE YOU
I- BUT IT'S TRUE MAN! MY PA FOUND OUT ABOUT IT WHEN YOUR MOM INTERVIEWED AT HIS COMPANY!

I am *NOT* the son of a *MURDERER* !! I'M NOT!
KT !!
ALRIGHT, THAT'S ENOUGH!
GAHHHHHD DAMMIT !!
EEP !!
YOU DON'T KNOW NOTHIN', MAN!! NOTHIN'!
AND WHAT YOU DON'T KNOW IS THAT YOU NEED TO CALM DOWN RIGHT NOW MISTER!!
nnnNO!! LET...GO!! LEGGO-A MEEE!! AHHH!

校長室
Principal's Office

sigh
WHAT'S WITH THE LONG SIGH... MAI?
OH.. I JUST FEEL AWFUL... THAT WHOLE THING WAS MY FAULT
WHAT? YOU MEAN SAKURAI KUN GOIN POSTAL LIKE THAT?
YEAH... I JUST WANTED HIM H EVERYBODY TO GET ALONG A LITTLE BETTER. GUESS IT WASN'T SUCH A GOOD IDEA.. about
AW YOU CAN'T CAN'T BLAME YOURSELF MAI PERSONALLY I ALWAYS THOUGHT HE WAS KINDVE A VIOLENT GUY ALL ALONG
I WONDER IF WHAT KUROKAWA KUN SAID ABOUT HIM IS TRUE?
YEAH THAT MIGHT BE THE REASON WHY SAKURAI KUN CHANGED SCHOOLS IN THE FIRST PLACE
C'MON YOU GUYS... WE SHOULDN'T BE SO NOSEY
YEAH YOU'RE RIGHT

SO WERE HAVING GYM OUTSIDE TODAY?
hmm?
WHAT'S THE MATTER? WE'RE GONNA BE LATE IF YOU DON'T HURRY
YOU GUYS GO ON AHEAD. I'LL BE THERE IN A BIT
Sign: Improper Footwear Prohibited
C'MON MA! WHY CAN'T I JUST GO HOME?!
HE'S... HE'S NOT SO MUCH ANGER INSIDE HE CAN'T EVEN BE FRIENDLY TO OWN HIS MOTHER, CAN HE...?
!
KIIK
creak

HEY
!!
!!

CIGARETTE SMOKING BY STUDENTS IS STRICTLY FORBIDDEN ON SCHOOL PROPERTY!!
I AIN'T SMOKIN'... I'M JUST BLOWIN' SMOKE RINGS SEE...
WHAT IN TH' ?!
POH
WHOA! THAT'S COOL!
Ya-hoo! LOOKEE! I'M A ANGEL!
MY DAD SHOWED ME HOW TO DO THAT!
YOUR father?

YEAH
HE WAS REALLY GOOD AT IT, TOO
HEY SAHRA! WANNA SEE SOMETHIN' COOL?
SURE!
HWA!
DO IT AGAIN DAD!
OKAY!
NO MATTER HOW MANY TIMES HE BLEW THOSE THINGS IT ALWAYS MADE ME LAUGH

YOUR FATHER SOUNDS LIKE A REALLY NICE PERSON
DON'T WORRY I AIN'T MAD AT YOU SO YOU DON'T GOTTA ACT LIKE YOU'RE OKAY WITH MY DAD B- STUFF
um... I DIDN'T MEAN FOR HOMEROOM TO BLOW UP ON YOU LIKE THAT... HONESTLY ALL I WANTED WAS TO GIVE YOU A CHANCE TO MAKE FRIENDS WITH THE REST OF THE CLASS
WELL, NOW THEY ALL THINK I'M THE SON OF A MURDERER, SO I DOUBT THEY'LL WANT TO HAVE ANYTHING TO DO WITH ME
OH, I DON'T KNOW... I THINK IF THEY GOT TO KNOW THE REAL SADRA SAKURAI THEY'D LIKE HIM JUST FINE!
YEAH, RIGHT
WHAAAT...? I REALLY THINK THEY WOULD, YOU KNOW
GEE, WHIZ!

SAY, WHO WAS THAT PRETTY LADY I SAW YOU WITH EARLIER? WAS THAT YOUR MOTHER?
UH YEAH
WE WEREN'T FIGHTING OKAY?! I WAS
I WAS JUST
SO WHAT WERE YOU TWO FIGHTING ABOUT? SHE SHE LOOKED REALLY SAD ...
DASH
SAKURAI-KUN !!
TA TA TA TA
WELL SHOOT

DON'T TAKE IT TOO HARD, OKAY MAI?
BYE! BYE!
I WON'T SEE YOU GUYS TOMORROW!
"DON'T TAKE IT TOO HARD!"
EASY FOR HER TO SAY
OH!
HM. HELLO .. YOU'RE SAKURAI KUN'S MOTHER AREN'T YOU?
WHY YES I AM. HOW DO YOU KNOW SAHRA? ARE YOU IN THE SAME.....?

YUP! WE'RE CLASSMATES! MY NAME'S MAE OMII
OH, I SEE...THIS IS ABOUT THE TROUBLE HE CAUSED IN SCHOOL TODAY, ISN'T IT? I'M REALLY VERY SORRY ABOUT--
OH, NO-NO-NO-NO NO! I JUST WANTED TO SAY "HI" IS ALL.....
THAT'S ALRIGHT I UNDERSTAND... I GUESS HAVING SAHRA CHANGE SCHOOLS WASN'T SUCH A GOOD IDEA...
...
ER, SO... WHAT EVERYONE IN CLASS WAS SAYING ABOUT SAKURAI-KUN'S FATHER WAS... TRUE...?
ZUNO
YES IT'S TRUE
WE'VE.. NEVER HAD VERY MUCH MONEY... BUT FOUR YEARS AGO WE WERE HORRIBLY IN DEBT... SO MY HUSBAND BORROWED MONEY FROM--
A
B
KEEP OUT KEEP
"CERTAIN PEOPLE"... ONE DAY A "BILL COLLECTOR" CAME BY AND DEMANDED WE PAY BACK THE MONEY WE OWED THINGS GOT UGLY AND BEFORE WE KNEW IT MY HUSBAND HAD--

AND YET EVEN AFTER THAT SAKURAI-KUN STILL REALLY CARES FOR HIS FATHER, DOESN'T HE?
YES... NO MATTER WHAT THAT MAN DID SAHRA STILL THOUGHT THE WORLD OF HIM
I THINK. I THINK THAT'S THE REASON WHY SAHRA ACTS THE WAY HE DOES HE BLAMES ME FOR HIS DAD NO LONGER BEING AROUND
TWO YEARS AGO IT GOT TO THE POINT WHERE I COULDN'T DEAL WITH THE ABUSE AND VIOLENCE OF BEING MARRIED TO HIM ANYMORE
...NOW SAHRA THINKS THAT I BETRAYED HIS FATHER WHEN I DIVORCED HIM
WE WEREN'T FIGHTING OKAY?! I WAS I WAS JUST
YOU KNOW... I DON'T THINK HIS ANGER COMES FROM BLAMING YOU
IN FACT I'M SURE HE DOESN'T HATE YOU FOR DOING WHAT YOU FELT YOU HAD TO DO!
THE WAY HE ACTS I HAVE TO WONDER SOMETIMES

ANYWAY, I REALLY WANT TO BE SAKUDAI KUN'S FRIEND, SO I WANTED TO UNDERSTAND HIS FEELINGS A LITTLE BETTER
OH, I SEE.. STILL, SAHKA CAN BE A PRETTY DIFFICULT PERSON
I GUESS HE *DOES* ACT A LITTLE SPOILED SOMETIMES
HEY, I HAVE A LITTLE BROTHER WHO'S A *TOTAL SPOILED BRAT!* IF I CAN DEAL WITH HIM, I'M SURE I CAN DEAL WITH YOUR SON!
WHA HAHA
SEE YOU LATER, MRS SAKURA!!
SUCH A CHEERFUL GIRL... SHE'S EXACTLY THE KIND OF FRIEND SAHKA NEEDS...

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TATATATA
桜井良子
沙良
Sahra
Sakurai Yoko
HERE WE ARE!
SAHRA !!
BAM
OH! MAI-CHAN
I-I-I THOUGHT I'D WALK TO SCHOOL TODAY WITH SAKURAI-KUN A-A-AND...

I'M WORRIED SAHRA MIGHT DO SOMETHING TERRIBLE!
THIS MORNING I GOT A PHONE CALL FROM MY BOSS, BENSÔ KUROSAWA TELLING ME THAT I DIDN'T NEED TO GO INTO WORK TODAY...
...AND RIGHT AFTER THE PHONE CALL, SAHRA GOT THIS WEIRD LOOK ON HIS FACE AND THEN HE RAN OUT!
WISH
GYAH!

YOU! YOU DID THIS, DIDN'T YOU?!
NO MAN, NO! I HAD NO IDEA MY PA WAS GONNA DO THAT!!
DSH
PANT
YOU REALLY SUCK, MAN! MY MA HAD HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH YESTERDAY!!
SAKURA!! PRINCIPAL'S OFFICE! NOW!!
GRAB

SNAT
HI..
RATTLE RATTLE
HEE !!
THUD
MY DAD ACCIDENTLY KILLS THE BASTARD BILL COLLECTOR WHO WAS TRYING TO HURT MY MA...
MY MA KEEPS BUSTIN' HER BUTT WORKIN' CRAPPY JOBS JUST TO MAKE ENDS MEET...
AND EVERYONE...
EVERYONE JUST...!!
TRAMBLE
LOOK MAN I'M REAL SORRY ABOUT YOUR MOM BUT I REALLY DIDN'T KNOW!!

GO TO HELL !!
HEEEE
!!

WHY...? WHY DID YOU ?!
BECAUSE I MEANT IT WHEN I SAID I WANTED TO BE YOUR FRIEND
AND FRIENDS LOOK OUT FOR EACH OTHER, DON'T THEY? AND WHEN ONE FRIEND IS GOING TO MAKE A BIG MISTAKE, THEN THE OTHER FRIEND SHOULD STEP IN AND STOP HIM, SHOULDN'T SHE?

BW
OMI
IT'S ALRIGHT I'M GOING TO TAKE YOU TO THE HOSPITAL AND HAVE THAT LOOKED AT...

WOULD ONE OF YOU FIND AWA-SENSEI AND ASK HER IF SHE'D MIND SUBBING FOR ME UNTIL I GET BACK? THE REST OF YOU GO BACK TO THE CLASSROOM
ARE YOU OKAY?
BAM BAM

SAKURAI KUN I KNOW YOU WANTED TO PROTECT YOUR MOTHER, BUT IT ONLY HURTS HER WHEN YOU ACT THIS WAY

KLAK

Kyoka General Hospital
IT'S A PRETTY DEEP PUNCTURE WOUND YOU'VE GOT THERE... FORTUNATELY YOU YOUNG PEOPLE HEAL QUICKLY...
YOU'LL NEED TO CHANGE THE BANDAGE TWO OR THREE TIMES A DAY AND BE SURE TO DRINK LOTS OF LIQUIDS
YES SIR!
SENSEI WHERE'S SANRA?
HMMM... LAST I SAW HE WAS WITH HIS MOTHER!
SMP
SLAP!

BUT MA! THEY WERE TRYIN' TO HURT YOU!!
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I'M SORRY SAHRA.... IT'S NOT THAT I'M INSENSITIVE TO YOUR FEELINGS
IT'S JUST THAT YOU CAN'T GO AROUND HURTING PEOPLE JUST BECAUSE THEY SAY SOMETHING MEAN ABOUT ME!

BUT
BUT NOTHING SAHRA! WORDS ARE NOT A CRIME
VIOLENCE IS!!
NO MATTER WHAT BAD THINGS MAY HAPPEN TO ME I WILL NEVER ~EVER~ LEAVE YOU SO PLEASE DON'T GO DOWN THAT PATH OKAY?
I- I'M SORRY, MA

NOW WE'RE GOING TO GO STRAIGHT OVER TO MAI CHAN'S HOUSE AND YOU'RE GOING TO APOLOGIZE TO HER!
YES'M !
HUH?
OH!
I CAN'T TELL YOU HOW SORRY WE ARE ABOUT THIS MAI CHAN !
I'M REALLY REALLY SORRY OH! !
IT'S OKAY YOU GUYS THE DOCTOR SAID IT WASN'T THAT BAD A CUT!
I'M ABOUT TO TAKE MAI HOME .. CAN I DIVE YOU TWO A LIFT SOMEPLACE?
THANK YOU I'M REALLY SORRY FOR THE INCONVINIENCE WE'VE CAUSED YOU...
HEY NO PROB! THE CAR'S PARKED OVER HERE...
AGAIN THANK YOU!
OH! !

HM?
I'M... I'M REALLY SORRY I—
I TOLD YOU DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT IT'S OKAY REALLY
BUT I FEEL LIKE I NEED TO DO SOMETHING TO MAKE IT UP TO YOU!
HMMMM
I KNOW HOW YOU CAN MAKE IT UP TO ME! STARTING TOMORROW YOU'RE GOING TO BE FRIENDLY TO EVERYONE IN CLASS!
BLEGH BLEGH BLEGH
HUH ?!
WHAT'S WRONG? WON'T YOU AT LEAST TRY?
IT'S NOT THAT. IT'S JUST... WELL, AFTER TODAY EVERYONE PROBABLY HATES MY GUTS...
WELL, YEAH YOU MIGHT BE RIGHT ABOUT THAT
.....

GUESS YOU JUST HAVE TO TRUST ME TO BE YOUR BACK UP, EH?
BESIDES, ONCE EVERYONE GETS TO KNOW YOU LIKE I DO, I'M SURE THEY WON'T BE MAD AT YOU ANYMORE!
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E
C'MON! WHADDA YA SAY? FRIENDS ?!
I--- AH
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OKAY... FRIENDS?
DARN RIGHT!
SAHKAI MAI CHAN!
OH YEAH! ONE MORE QUICKY PIECE OF ADVICE!
OKAY
SHALL WE GO?
YOU BETCHA!
IT'S THE MAGIC PHRASE GUARANTEED TO MAKE YOU A TON OF FRIENDS!
OOH YEAH
"MAGIC PHRASE"?

THE NEXT DAY
5-1
-SEEMS LIKE HE HAS MORE EXPERIENCE!
SO, HOW'D YOU F FITH YEAR IN THE LABORE SHEET
GRAAAAH
OH
HEY GUESS WHAT? I'M AT LEVEL 30 NOW!
WOW! THAT'S GREAT! I ONLY JUST REACHED LEVEL 20 MYSELF !

you can do it Sakurai-kun
?
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OH HA
I WANT TO SAY THIS...
SO I CAN SAY THIS!
OHAYO—!!!

OHAYO——!!!